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SUBJECT: KENYA FIBRE PROJECT

1. FOLLOWING ARE TEXTS OF COMMERCIAL TELEXES RECENTLY
EXCHANGED ON SUBJECT PROJECT.

2. FOLLOWING RECEIVED FROM SHAMALLA, FINANCE MINISTRY,
ON NOVEMBER 17: QUOTE. HAVE RECEIVED COMMUNICATION FROM
U.S. EMBASSY NAIROBI INDICATING EXIMBANK PREPAREDNESS TO
LEND GOK DIRECTLY FOR KFC'S U.S. COSTS MAXIMUM 15 MILLION
DOLLARS. GOK PLEASED TO HAVE EXIMBANK PARTICIPATION
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THROUGH LENDING DIRECT TO KFC OR GOK. BUT WILL NOT WITH-
HOLD CONSIDERATION OF OTHER AVAILABLE ALTERNATIVES IF
EXIMBANK FINAL DECISION LIKELY TO TAKE SOMETIME. WILL
APPRECIATE YOUR INDICATING MAXIMUM LENGTH OF TIME
NECESSARY TO PROCESS APPLICATION. ALSO INDICATE TERMS
AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS OF GOK TO THE PROPOSED ARRANGE-
MENTS. UNQUOTE.

3. EXIMBANK REPLY OF NOVEMBER 23 AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE.
PLEASED TO ACKNOWLEDGE YOURTEL NOVEMBER 17 INDICATING YOUR
GOVERNMENT PREPARED TO ACT AS OBLIGOR ON ANY EXIMBANK
DIRECT CREDIT FOR U.S. COSTS OF POLYESTER FIBRE

PROJECT BEING UNDERTAKEN BY KENYA FIBRE CORPORATION. WE
ARE COMMENCING OUR STAFF ANALYSIS OF YOUR APPLICATION
WHICH IS BEING SUPERVISED BY MR. JOHN LENTZ, LOAN
OFFICER. MEETING IS SCHEDULED WITH CHEMTEX, INC.,
NOVEMBER 28 TO DISCUSS PROJECT DETAILS. APPLICATION WILL
BE PRESENTED TO OUR BOARD IN NEAR FUTURE, FOLLOWING WHICH
WE WILL ADVISE YOU PROMPTLY OF ACTION TAKEN. THERE ARE
NO FURTHER REQUIREMENTS FROM GOK AT THIS TIME.
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